

# George H. Cohen's Greatest Success, "Seven Keys to Baldpate," at the Grand Opera House Friday Evening, April 9th



BECOMING CONVINCED OF THE TREACHERY OF HIS AID, THE CROOKED MAYOR IN COHAN'S MYSTERY FARCE, "SEVEN KEYS TO BALDPATE" MAKES AN ATTACK.

Beyond all doubt the most appealing play of the day is Geo. H. Cohen's mystery farce, "Seven Keys to Baldpate," which will be presented by Cohen & Harn at the Grand opera house for one performance on Friday evening, April 9. It was the success of last season in Chicago and New York. "Seven Keys to Baldpate" is absolutely different from any play that American audiences have ever known. It combines mystery and melodrama, woven through a story that is vividly real and therefore, intensely thrilling, in an atmosphere first comic, then serious, and back to comic again until the

onlooker decides Mr. Cohen is pre-paring a puzzle. At any rate, "Seven Keys to Baldpate" keeps one guessing and laughing for two hours and a half, and if that is not the correct interpretation of healthy enjoyment, what is? The story of "Seven Keys to Baldpate" has to do with William Halliwell Magee, a writer of blood-curdling fiction, who has resolved to get away from the literary style that has made his name synonymous with thrills. To do this he decides to look for a solitary spot, and meets a friend who owns a summer hotel called Baldpate Inn. This friend wagers him that he cannot write a

10,000 word novel in 24 hours, and the bet of \$5000 is accepted. Magee goes to Baldpate for his work and it is in the dead of winter.

When the play opens Magee is seen arriving at the Inn, situated on the top of a mountain, in a snowstorm, and is received by the caretaker, who prepares the place for him, and departs after giving Magee the key to the front door, the only key, he says, to the hotel. But events prove there are six other keys, as Magee finds, when he is interrupted by a most unusual series of incidents, and it is these incidents and the results that hold an

audience enthralled until the end, which comes with a denouement that is absolutely unexpected and most original.

"Seven Keys to Baldpate" is a wonderfully entertaining play of laughs, mystery, melodrama and thrills. The company that will interpret it includes Cyril Scott, John O'Hara, Ernest Geyer, Spencer Charters, Frank Allworth, Frank Monroe, Hooker Wright, Lee Sterrett, Laura Bennett, Ethel Ingham, Christine Mayo, Rita Harlan, Hazel Fravere, Fannie Mackey and Jean Shelby.

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## Auspices of Ladies of St. Pauls Guild

**WORLD FEATURE**  
"A Daughter of the People"  
a story of love, labor and reward  
—in Five Acts.  
**CHARLES CHAPLIN**  
World Greatest Comedian  
in the Farce Comedy  
"IN THE PARK"

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**Charles Chaplin**  
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Miss Mary Schultz  
Violin Solos in Costume.  
Miss Priscilla Fleming and  
Mr. Eugene Houston  
Original Dances  
Miss Marguerite Flower  
Soloist

Adults 10c

Doors Open 7 p.m.

Children 5c

### PERSONALS

Laverne McConnell is in Newport today on a business errand.  
Miss Rose Souchee, of Albany, is in the city visiting Mrs. Henry Bonhart, 1145 South Liberty street.  
H. W. Thompson, of Boise, Idaho, is here on business.  
J. Roberts was a passenger this morning to Portland on the electric.  
George Lewis is in Portland today.  
Wm. McGilchrist, Sr., is in Portland today on business.  
H. A. Croyner and wife were passengers on the morning electric for Portland.

Earl Woods was in the city yesterday from Silverton.  
Edwin McCord, an attorney of Woodburn, was here this morning on legal business.  
Wm. Pinckney, of Pinckney Bros., is visiting in Portland for several days.  
T. W. Ritchie, of Silverton, is here today transacting business.  
Sherm Swank, of Astoria, was in Salem Monday.  
Mrs. J. C. McElroy, of Salem, formerly of Eugene, is in the city for a few days, visiting old friends. Her husband is now conducting a very successful business in the capital city.—Eugene Register.

Miss Florence Kay and Miss Marjorie Dix, two high school coeds, returned to their homes in Salem this afternoon. They had been guests at the Gamma Beta Beta fraternity house in Eugene.—Eugene Guard.

P. P. Pyle and wife, of Monmouth, are registered at the Bligh.  
W. W. Cardwell, an attorney of Roseburg, was in the city yesterday.  
W. H. Frank of the Red Cross drug store, was in Gervais last evening attending the Foresters' entertainment.  
O. H. Gilbert, of Portland, who has been visiting here several days, returned to his home last evening.

C. W. Talmadge, of Oak Flat, was in the city yesterday.  
Mrs. O. G. Smith returned last night from a week-end visit at Portland, where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. N. M. Finkbinder.

E. H. Meyer, of Hoquiam, was a visitor in the city yesterday.  
W. Bowser, mayor of Silverton, was here on business yesterday afternoon.

Charles G. Benton, of Silverton, was a Monday visitor in the city transacting business.

R. C. Bishop and wife will leave tomorrow evening for a three weeks' visit to the Panama-Pacific exposition. They will take the Shasta Limited.

A. L. Sperling and family returned to their home at Independence yesterday after a week-end visit with C. L. Sperling.

G. C. Henderson, who has been with the Barnes store for several years, leaves tomorrow for Los Angeles, where he expects to locate permanently.

Rev. J. Montezuma Brown left this morning for Hillsboro to attend the Ministerial Oregon conference.

The Misses Esther and Aetna Emmel returned yesterday from an Easter visit with their parents near Hillsboro.

Miss Carrie B. Wood, of Oak Grove, is in Salem this week visiting with Mrs. M. J. Hickerson, 1621 Chemawa street, and other friends. Miss Wood spent six years as a missionary in India from the Friends church.

### AT EXPOSITION TODAY.

San Francisco, April 6.—New York City in miniature is on exhibition at the Panama-Pacific exposition today. The New York City building, containing models of the metropolis, of its harbor, subway systems and other features, was formally opened today by Harry Bruere, city chamberlain, representing Mayor John Mitchell. Mayor Rolph, of San Francisco, was among the speakers.

Mrs. C. C. Cahlan acted as chairman of the Lassen county exhibit opening ceremonies today. She is the first woman to have such an honor at this exposition. Mrs. Cahlan made the principal address. The exercises were held in the California building. Sprigs of Lassen sage brush were worn by many visitors in deference to the occasion.

### F-4 Slips From Ledge Back Into Deep Water

Washington, April 6.—The submarine F-4, at the bottom of the harbor at Honolulu has slipped from the ledge to which it was dragged, toward the deep water of the harbor.  
This was admitted at the navy department today, following the receipt of advice from Rear Admiral Moore, commandant at Honolulu. It is now believed that further progress toward the raising of the submarine will be impossible before the arrival of the expert divers and improved apparatus leaving San Francisco for Hawaii or the cruiser Maryland today.

## "THE QUEST" IS FIRST MUTUAL MASTERPIECE

Drama of Love and Romance  
In Five Reels Will Be Shown Here

In advance of the nation wide movement for better motion pictures a series of subjects will be released by the Mutual Film Corporation under the general title of Mutual master pictures. There will be two of these released each week. The first is "The Quest," a five reel picture of love, romance and the pursuit of an ideal. The story of the play is as follows:  
John Douglas, hero of "The Quest," five part Mutual Masterpicture, weary of society, sees a vision of "the girl of his dreams" and goes away on a yachting cruise. The ship catches fire, John jumps overboard, and clinging to a mast, is washed ashore on an island. There he sees "the girl of his dreams" in the flesh, chases her and is killed by a stone she throws.  
When he comes to he is in the village of the lost tribe. The old priest tells him how the ancestors who formed this little settlement were washed ashore, and how for generations none has left the island.  
The girl of his dreams proves to be Nai, daughter of Neta, chief of the tribe. She plays rather charmingly on a crude harp. John makes her a better one, and otherwise courts her, thus arousing the jealousy of Kuro, the sub-chief. The two men fight, and Nai is locked up under guard and John is banished. John rescues her, and they are married by the priest and then flee.

While still in the forest a yacht is seen, and John prepares a signal. Darkness falls. Nai sleeps and John keeps guard with the priest, who has come to offer the chief's forgiveness. Falling asleep, he dreams of a return to civilization on the yacht with Nai, of how he will live at home and of how he will live with Nai, attempts to steal her love. Waking, he decides not to signal the yacht, but to accept the chief's offer to return to the village.

"The Quest" will be shown at the Bligh Theatre on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

### RESOLUTIONS OF SYMPATHY.

The following resolutions were unanimously adopted at a regular session of Sedgwick Post, G. A. R., on Saturday last, in memory of Mrs. Cynthia Dunlap, late President of the Department, W. R. C. of Oregon:  
Whereas, It has occurred, in God's providence, our sister, Mrs. Cynthia Dunlap, Department President of the W. R. C. has been called away by death, therefore be it

Resolved: we deeply sympathize with her husband, our brother J. Frank Dunlap, of the Joshua Smith Camp of Sons of Veterans, in this, his great bereavement; also with members of Sedgwick Women's Relief Corps No. 1, in the death of this eminent member of their body, and with the Department of the State of Oregon W. R. C. in the loss of a most worthy and distinguished official.

That a copy of these resolutions be to the bereaved husband; to the Sedgwick W. R. C. and to the press of Salem for publication.

P. L. Pound, Commander.  
D. Webster, Adjutant.

### English Labor Party Opposes Recruit Campaign

(Continued From Page One.)  
issued by the German embassy here today places the real blame for the destruction of the steamer Falaba, with the loss of the life of Leon C. Thresher, an American, upon England.

The decision of England to encourage merchant ships to attack submarines by offering prizes for the sinking of the German vessels has, forced the submarines to attack quickly, and loss of life sometimes cannot be avoided, it was stated.

"Germany regrets the sacrifice of lives," the statement declares, "but both British and neutral vessels have been warned not to cross the war zone. The responsibility, therefore, is Great Britain's which contrary to international law, waged commercial warfare against Germany and caused merchantmen to offer armed resistance."

### NEW TODAY

One cent per word each insertion.  
Copy for advertisements under this heading should be in by 2 p. m.

PHONE MAIN 81.

THREE fresh cows, sell cheap. R. F. D. No. 8, box 64.

AUTO tube vulcanizing, 25c. Shop foot of Union street. Phone 1517-J. April 7

WANTED—\$800 for five years on gift edge real estate security. J-27, Journal.

HOME-STUDY text books for sale; all subjects. P. D. Abbott, 211 Hubbard building.

FOR RENT—Five-room house, full basement, 760 North Cottage. Phone 4.

FOR RENT—Up to date 7-room flat, close in. See R. B. Fleming. Phone 124.—Residence phone 92.

FOR SALE—A horse, cheap. Can be seen at Center street feed barns, or phone 4-P-4.

WAR! Germans capture 6,000,000. Fried capture 6 French fried chickens at Fred's Night Lunch.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished house-keeping rooms, 359 Center street. Phone 204-M.

HARRY—Window and office cleaner. Phone 1850-J.

COMPLETE stock of tested garden, field and lawn seed. Westcott & Thielson Co., 151 North High st.

ITALIAN prune trees cheap for rest of season. Get prices at sawyard, State and 24th street. H. E. Jones. Phone 1136, or 73-F-22.

WANTED—To trade real estate for carpenter work. Inquire J. H. Lantierman, 337 Chemeketa street.

WE will allow you the highest price for your used furniture in exchange for new. Cash Bros., home furnishings. Phone 593.

FOR SALE—30 quart home canned fruit, 24 quart tomatoes, 24 glasses jelly, all for \$11. Address J. E., care Journal.

AN OLD lady or gentleman can get a nice home at reasonable rate in a nice location. Apply F, care Journal.

LOST—An envelope with \$30 in paper money in the Odd Fellows' cemetery. Prizing. Finder please leave at Journal office and receive reward.

FOR SALE—Well improved suburban home one and half miles east of Astoria, containing ten acres of land; terms. Mrs. Wm. Quartier, Rt. 6, Salem.

FOR SALE—By owner, 15 acres fine land, fenced and clear, rock road. Bargain if taken soon. Phone 124. Residence phone 92.

FOR SALE—Furnishings complete for housekeeping, very reasonable; bargain for rent. 1045 North Capitol street. Phone 260. Mrs. H. L. Bowdler.

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## Catala Scores Success At Silverton Church

(Capital Journal Special Service.)  
Silverton, Or., April 6.—The Cantata at the Christian church last Friday was a great success. There were over thirty children took part in this play and surely did credit to Miss Tolman and Mrs. Preston who had been instructing them in their parts the past three weeks. The leading lady, Maudie Moore was the much abused Cinderella or "Bonnie Bell" of the story and whose sweet voice won the hearts of the audience. Her acting was fine. Several Hobbitt seemed to all the veritable prince he was representing and Ethel Dunn the fairy queen seemed specially fitted to the part she carried, while Ruth Neil as the cruel step mother and the two sisters, Letha Jeram and Velma Jones, were exceptionally good.

Hilbert Holloway the funny clown and Fred Boel as cute little brownie brought down the house with their comical stunts, while the fairies in their costumes with the guests of honor came in for their share of praise in making this one of the most pleasing events of the season.

There was about \$45 cleared and the children were well pleased with the financial success; the proceeds toward painting the church.

W. B. Ellingsworth, who has until lately been in the employ of the Rawlins Produce company, left for Oregon City and Portland Tuesday, and there will go to Camas, Wash., to spend a few days with his mother, Mrs. Frank Welch.

Mrs. Caroline Deardorf is spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. L. O. Deardorf, in the country.

Among the number who were transacting business at the Hub the past week were J. W. Hyette, Ted Wolfard, Jake Iversen and Jns. Bowen.

Miss Mabel Anderson was over to Capital city on Tuesday last.

Lewis Bolman, of Canby, came Sunday to visit at John Wilsey's and Will Blingworth's, they returned on the evening passenger.

The Misses Agnes and Anna Brouky spent a couple of days the past week at the home of their brother, Alex Brouky.

Mr. Homer McKee and little girls returned from Palmer, Wash., the first of the week where they have been visiting relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. Essen were down to the Rose city Wednesday and called on Mrs. C. M. Wray, who is ill at the Portland hospital.

Mrs. M. Delan, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Ella, visited friends in Salem the past week.

Silverton is to be treated to another musical in the near future, given by the church society. The program will consist of choruses, with some solo and quartets. Differing quite a little from the cantata but promising to be even better, it will be a pleasure to look forward to by all.

Mrs. Humphert and daughter, Theresa came from Mt. Angel Saturday to visit with the Joe Lais family.

Miss Letha Cavender spent a few days the past week with Salem friends. Fred Arthur, of Portland, was up to the hay race near Silverton last week.

Mrs. Sarah Palmer came from Escondido, Oregon, Monday to visit her son, Harry Palmer, of east Silverton.

Miss Floy Hartman entertained her friend, Miss Genevieve Penell, of Astoria Mills Saturday night and Sun-

## Today & Tomorrow

**ZUDORA**  
\$20,000,000 Mystery,  
15th Episode  
The Robbing of the Ruby Coronet

**Run Away June**  
2 Parts—More exciting than ever

**Exploits of Elaine**  
2 Parts—The Double Trap.

**Peanuts and Bullets**  
Keystone Comedy.  
A Thousand Laughs to each foot of Film.

**Bligh Theatre**  
ALWAYS 10c  
FEATURE FILMS

The Joe Lais family were week-end guests of Mt. Angel relatives.

The George Hubbs family accompanied by Mrs. W. P. Hubbs and daughter, Blanche, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Hubbs at Marion.

Mrs. John Hyett and daughter, who have been visiting Mrs. Hyett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Edison, returned to their home at Talbert Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Steelhammer and children spent a few days the past week with relatives at the Rose city.

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## EVERYTHING IS IN READINESS FOR BIG MEREDITH BANQUET

Indications Are That Affair Will Be Most Brilliant and Successful Ever

Preparations are about complete and everything points with favor to one of the largest and most successful events of the kind that has ever been arranged in the city of Salem when the banquet, to be given at the Hotel Marion tomorrow evening in farewell to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Meredith who leave Salem to take up their residence in North Yakima, Washington, takes place. The affair will be altogether informal and it will be for ladies as well as gentlemen as Mrs. Meredith is to be a guest of honor also. Arrangements have been made by Manager Church of the hotel to accommodate about 100 guests and all reservations should be made by this evening.

The spacious dining hall will be appropriately decorated for the occasion and a special orchestra has been engaged to dispense music while the feast is in progress and Helie Parish Hinges will sing "Auld Lang Syne." George F. Rodgers will officiate as toastmaster and responses to toasts will be made by the following prominent business and professional men of the city and surrounding country: W. M. Hamilton, president of the commercial club, will speak on behalf of the business men; Dr. R. E. Lee Steiner, on behalf of the stockmen; Dr. H. E. Smith, on behalf of the racehorse men; W. A. (Billie) Taylor, on behalf of the farmers; F. E. Carlson, on education; Mrs. Edith Taylor-Weatherford, for the state fair board; R. J. Hendricks, the Statesman; and C. H. Fisher, The Capital Journal. Gildon Stolz will respond on behalf of the concessionaires.

disposing of the bonds, as a means of financing the project. It is reported that Canadian and European capitalists have agreed to take some of the securities, which, on account of the glowing reports regarding the territory to be served by the new roads, are expected to sell at a high figure.

"We hope to complete arrangements and carry the work to a successful conclusion within a very short time," said James F. Twoby, a member of the firm, last night.

**THERE IS A DIFFERENCE.**  
(Toledo Blade.)  
Franz Josef went to sleep while his premier was talking to him. But, then, the old fellow's premier is not a Chattanooga lecturer.

Advice usually does good. It cheers the man who gives it, and since the other fellow is already at the bottom it can't hurt him much.

**Grants Pass Road Going To Coast**  
Portland, Or., April 6.—Completion of the California & Oregon Coast Railroad from Grants Pass to Crescent City, Cal., at a cost approximating \$5,000,000 was assured yesterday, when Twoby Bros., railroad contractors of Portland, arranged with the city officials of Grants Pass to finance the project and perform the work.

The people of Grants Pass already have bonded themselves for \$200,000 to pay for the first 10 miles of the road. This portion of the road, from Grants Pass to Wilderville, has been built. The remaining portion from Wilderville to Crescent City, is approximately 81 miles long. It is estimated that the work can be completed this summer.

Twoby Bros. are prepared to put a large force of men to work there within the next few weeks.

**Early Operations Expected.**  
The road is bonded for \$5,000,000 and it is understood that Twoby Bros. have made adequate arrangements for

## GRAND OPERA HOUSE

Guaranteed Attraction  
**FRIDAY, APRIL 9th**  
50c, \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00  
Mail Orders Received Now.  
Seats on Sale Thursday, 9 a. m.

TALK OF ALL AMERICA  
COLUMBIAN OWNERS  
COLUMBIAN BEST PLAY

LAUGHS  
THRILLS  
MYSTERY

WITH CYRIL SCOTT AND ORIGINAL CHICAGO AND NEW YORK CAST

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